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**ATTN: BOX PATENT APPLICATION**

In re the Application of : **Stamm et al**  
Application No: NOT YET ASSIGNED  
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FOR: **Fenofibrate Pharmaceutical Composition Having High  
Bioavailability and Method for Preparing It**  
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed for filing in the U.S. Patent Office are the following documents:

1. New U.S. Patent Application claiming priority to:

**U.S. Application No. 09/572,330 filed May 18, 2000, allowed;**  
**U.S. Application No. 09/005,128, filed January 9, 1998,**  
**issued as US Patent No. 6,074,670 on June 13, 2000; and**  
**French Application No. 97 00 479, filed January 17, 1997,**

entitled: **Fenofibrate Pharmaceutical Composition Having High  
Bioavailability and Method for Preparing It**

naming as inventors: **Andre STAMM and Pawan SETH**

the application having 25 pages of: **17 pages of specification,  
5 pages of claims,  
1 page of abstract, and  
2 pages of Formal Drawings.**

2. Copy of executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application filed in grandparent Application No. 09/005,128.
3. A Preliminary Amendment with Appendixes 1-4.
4. An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 Form.

5. English Language Translation of French Application No. 97 00479 filed January 17, 1997.
6. A Return Postcard.

After entry of the preliminary amendment, the filing fee is calculated as follows:

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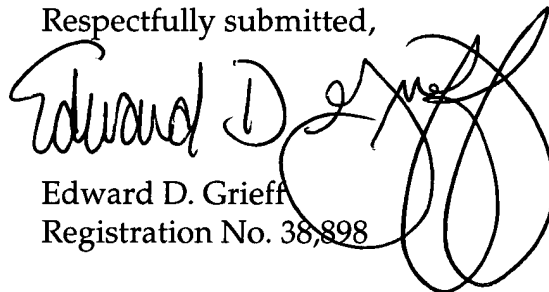
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